
SENATE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

**PROPOSED SUB A HAS BEEN ADDED FOR S-378
H-5210 HAS BEEN ADDED TO THIS AGENDA**

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Monday, June 28, 2021
TIME: 3:00 PM
PLACE: Virtual Meeting via WebEx

SCHEDULED FOR CONSIDERATION

Senate Bill No. [378 SUB A](#)

BY Cano, DiMario, Valverde, Mack, McCaffrey, Coyne, Goodwin, Sosnowski, Quezada, Murray
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- RHODE ISLAND CHILD CARE
IS ESSENTIAL ACT {LC1976/A/1}

02/25/2021 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services
03/19/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration
03/23/2021 Proposed Substitute
03/23/2021 Proposed Substitute
03/25/2021 Committee recommended indefinite postponement
03/25/2021 Committee recommended Substitute A be held for further study
06/25/2021 Scheduled for consideration

House Bill No. [5198 SUB A](#)

BY Bennett

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- PHYSICAL
THERAPISTS {LC111/A/1}

01/27/2021 Introduced, referred to House H.E.W.
02/02/2021 Committee transferred to House Health & Human Services
02/05/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration
02/09/2021 Committee recommended measure be held for further study
02/12/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration
02/23/2021 Committee recommended measure be held for further study
06/11/2021 Scheduled for consideration
06/11/2021 Proposed Substitute
06/11/2021 Proposed Substitute
06/14/2021 Committee recommends passage of Sub A
06/15/2021 Placed on House Calendar
06/17/2021 House passed Sub A
06/21/2021 Referred to Senate Health and Human Services
06/25/2021 Scheduled for consideration

House Bill No. [5543 as amended](#)

BY Speakman, McNamara

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - RIGHTS OF NURSING HOME PATIENTS {LC1111/1} (Department of health to promulgate rules and regulations for essential caregivers at nursing homes during a declared emergency.)

02/12/2021 Introduced, referred to House Health & Human Services

03/05/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

03/08/2021 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

06/11/2021 Scheduled for consideration

06/14/2021 Committee recommends passage

06/14/2021 Placed on House Calendar

06/17/2021 House passed as amended (floor amendment)

06/21/2021 Referred to Senate Health and Human Services

06/25/2021 Scheduled for consideration

House Bill No. [5544](#)

BY Fogarty, Shallcross Smith, Fenton-Fung, Tanzi, Carson, Henries, Speakman, Donovan, McEntee, Alzate

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE AND DISCIPLINE {LC204/1} (Includes in the definition of unprofessional conduct performing a pelvic examination without consent of an anesthetized or unconscious female patient.)

02/12/2021 Introduced, referred to House Health & Human Services

03/05/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

03/08/2021 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

05/21/2021 Scheduled for consideration

05/25/2021 Committee recommends passage

05/28/2021 Placed on House Calendar

06/03/2021 House read and passed

06/04/2021 Referred to Senate Health and Human Services

06/04/2021 Scheduled for hearing

06/10/2021 Committee continued

06/25/2021 Scheduled for consideration

SCHEDULED FOR HEARING AND/OR CONSIDERATION

House Bill No. [5281 SUB A](#)

BY Vella-Wilkinson, Williams, Noret, Kazarian, Ackerman, Azzinaro

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE -- EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT {LC807/A/2}

01/29/2021 Introduced, referred to House State Government & Elections

02/18/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

02/26/2021 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

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06/11/2021 Scheduled for consideration
06/11/2021 Proposed Substitute
06/11/2021 Proposed Substitute
06/14/2021 Committee recommends passage of Sub A
06/14/2021 Placed on House Calendar
06/16/2021 House passed Sub A
06/25/2021 Referred to Senate Health and Human Services
06/25/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5210 SUB A](#)

BY Kennedy, Azzinaro, Bennett, Diaz, Potter

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- MEDICARE SUPPLEMENT
INSURANCE POLICIES {LC374/A/1}**

01/27/2021 Introduced, referred to House Finance
02/02/2021 Committee transferred to House Health & Human Services
02/18/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration
02/25/2021 Committee recommended measure be held for further study
06/04/2021 Scheduled for consideration
06/04/2021 Proposed Substitute
06/04/2021 Proposed Substitute
06/10/2021 Committee recommends passage of Sub A
06/14/2021 Placed on House Calendar
06/16/2021 House passed Sub A
06/25/2021 Referred to Senate Health and Human Services
06/25/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

PROPOSED SUBSTITUTE

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{LC1976/A/2}

The State House continues to be closed to the public at this time.

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TESTIMONY SUBMITTAL

Written testimony is encouraged and can be submitted to the committee by emailing it to:

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*Written Testimony must be submitted prior to 2:00 PM on Monday, June 28, 2021, in order for it to be provided to the members of the committee at the hearing and to be included in the meeting records.

Members of the public can request to provide verbal testimony to the committee through the following link: [**VERBAL TESTIMONY**](#)

***Requests to provide verbal testimony must be submitted by 4:00 PM on Sunday, June 27, 2021.**

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Committee Clerk
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